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Case No. 8642/91

### IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Gary J. Nabel et al.

Serial No: 09/663,889

Filed: Sept 18, 2000

For: KITS FOR SITE-SPECIFICALLY  
TRANSFORMING CELLS IN  
VIVO

Examiner: Paras Jr, Peter

Group Art Unit: 1632

#### Election of Restricted Claims.

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed Dec. 26, 2001. The Office Action sets forth a requirement for restriction between Group I, Claims 17 – 36, and Group II, claims 37 –

54. Applicant elects to prosecute Group I, Claims 17-36, drawn to a kit for site-specifically transforming cells in vivo which kit comprises a catheter and a gene encoding p21.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: MAR 11<sup>th</sup>, 2002 -

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